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TDM Program Partners,

NCDOT-IMD is releasing the FY23 Call for Projects today. Please click on the following link: <u>https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/Transit/Pages/TDM.aspx</u> (or see the attached) in order to access the application documents you will need to attach to your EBS application.

Please make sure you read the Application Overview and Guidance document as there are many changes to this year's version. Changes are being made as we transition this program into a hopefully more equitable and regional effort over the next few years. A few of the more prominent changes include:

- Submission of an Annual TDM Workplan of Programmatic Goals A template is provided to create consistent applications and aid in the data collection process.
- Travel Options Program Structure The structure will ensure regional programs are built from a similar and consistent foundation.
- Scorecard Submitted with each invoice, the scorecard encourages consistent data collection across all applicants, setting baselines, allowing IMD to strategically plan for future program development and track growth.
- Similar to last year, we will not set a budget for each program this year. Instead, you will need to ask for the amount you can justify operating your program with consideration of the changes commuting has faced in the past few years. We expect reasonable budgets that you are confident will be an effective use of these funds and will not exceed the previous year's budget.

This year's application will be due **Friday March 18<sup>th</sup> by Close of Business.** If you have any questions about this year's program, please contact John Vine-Hodge (<u>javinehodge@ncdot.gov</u>) or me and we will be happy to assist you.

**Note:** If you are not a current applicant and do not have a current TDM Program, but are interested in planning for a future program for your region, please contact us to discuss how to get started.

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